

## Message Text

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ACTION NEA-10

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 CIAE-00 COME-00 EB-08 INR-10 LAB-04  
NSAE-00 SIL-01 OC-06 CCO-00 AID-05 USPS-01 /046 W  
-----101975 031636Z /42

R 030745Z MAR 78  
FM AMEMBASSY DACCA  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 8304

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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS : PINT, ELAB, BG  
SUBJECT : TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH OPERATOR STRIKE

REF: 77 DACCA 7480

A RECENT AIDAC MESSAGE FROM DACCA INCIDENTALLY  
MENTIONED THE EXISTENCE OF A POSTAL STRIKE HERE.  
RATHER THAN POSTAL STRIKE, IT WAS THE TELEPHONE AND  
TELEGRAPH EMPLOYEES WHO WENT ON STRIKE MARCH 2ND  
TO PROTEST THE ARREST OF SEVEN FELLOW EMPLOYEES WHO WERE  
DEMONSTRATING AGAINST PAY SCALES IMPOSED BY GOVERNMENT  
PAY PLAN (REFTEL). SERVICE SUBSTANTIALLY RESTORED  
FOLLOWING TELEPHONE ADVISOR MOUDUD AHMED'S ASSURANCE  
THAT PAY SCALES WERE BEING INVESTIGATED AND THOSE  
ARRESTED WOULD BE RELEASED ON BAIL.  
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## Message Attributes

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